

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Serial No.: 10/602,464 Confirmation No.: 3975

Applicant(s): Masahiro KAWAGUCHI Group Art Unit: 1634  
Examiner: FORMAN, Betty J.

Filed: June 23, 2003 Customer No.: 85775

For: NUCLEIC-ACID PROBE SUBSTRATE, SYSTEM FOR TEMPERATURE  
CONTROL OF THE SUBSTRATE, AND GENE DETECTION METHOD MAKING  
USE OF THE SAME

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for an Amendment in response to an Office Action dated October 10, 2008.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested
  is filed herewith.  
 has been filed on \_\_\_\_.
3.  Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.  
 Statement has already been filed

	Total Months <u>Requested</u>	Fee for Other than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
a.	<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$130.00	\$65.00
b.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> two months	\$490.00	\$245.00
c.	<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$1,110.00	\$555.00
d.	<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,730.00	\$865.00
e.	<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$2,350.00	\$1,175.00

f.  An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$\_\_\_\_\_), minus the fee previously paid (\$\_\_\_\_\_ equals \$\_\_\_\_\_ (total fee due).

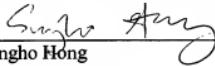
5.  A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the extension fee is attached.

6.  Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 50-4827, Order No. 1232-5069. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

7.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-4827. Order No. 1232-5069. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: March 10, 2009

  
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